



NEW JERSEY GOVERNMENT RECORDS COUNCIL

Administrative Complaint Disposition – Request not within the Council's jurisdiction to adjudicate (request made to the Judiciary or the Legislature)

GRC Complaint No.: 2009-46

Complainant: Carolanne Schlosser

Custodian: City of Union Municipal Court (Hudson)

Date of Request: December 7, 2008

Date of Complaint: February 4, 2009¹

Complaint Disposition: The Complainant asserts a denial of access to records requested on December 7, 2008. However, the GRC does not have jurisdiction over records request made of the City of Union Municipal Court, as it falls under the Judicial Branch of government.

Applicable OPRA Provision: The council shall not have jurisdiction over the Judicial or Legislative Branches of State Government or any agency, officer, or employee of those branches.” N.J.S.A. 47:1A-7.g.

This is the final administrative determination in this matter. Any further review should be pursued in the Appellate Division of the Superior Court of New Jersey within forty-five (45) days. Information about the appeals process can be obtained from the Appellate Division Clerk’s Office, Hughes Justice Complex, 25 W. Market St. PO Box 006, Trenton, NJ 08625-0006.

Effective Date of Disposition: February 25, 2009

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¹ The GRC received the Denial of Access Complaint on said date.